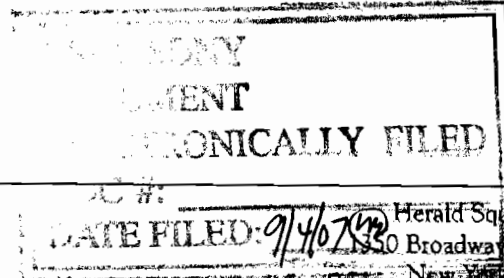




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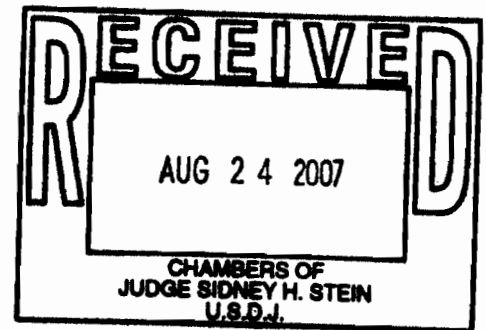
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Re: Westport Insurance Corporation v. Patricia  
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Bienstock & Rabin, P.C. f/k/a Cohen Hennessey  
& Bienstock, P.C., 07 Civ. 6726 (SHS) (RLE)

Dear Judge Stein:

We represent Defendants in this matter.

I write to request that the Rule 16 conference be adjourned from September 14, 2007 to October 12, 2007, due to a combination of scheduling conflicts and Jewish holidays. The order scheduling the conference is attached. This is the first request for an extension of time. Plaintiff's counsel, Mark K. Anesh, does not oppose this request, and he has approved the proposed date for the conference.

8/27/07  
Rule 16 conf. adj. red  
for Sept 14 to October 11  
at 10 A.M.  
So ordered  
S. H. Stein  
U.S.D.J.

Respectfully,

John W. Fried

JWF:mb  
Encl.

cc: Mark K. Anesh, Esq. By Telecopier